

BEFORE THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY

NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE

August 1, 2005

IN RE:

PETITION FOR APPROVAL OF THE AMENDMENT
TO THE INTERCONNECTION AGREEMENT BETWEEN
BELLSOUTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC. AND
LEVEL 3 COMMUNICATIONS, L.L.C.

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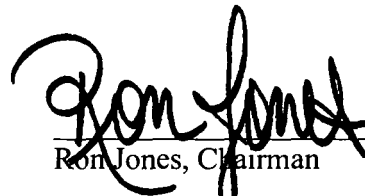
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05-00128

ORDER APPROVING
AMENDMENT TO THE INTERCONNECTION AGREEMENT

This matter came before Chairman Ron Jones, Director Deborah Taylor Tate and Director Sara Kyle of the Tennessee Regulatory Authority (the "Authority"), the voting panel assigned to this docket, at a regularly scheduled Authority Conference held on July 11, 2005 to consider the Petition for approval of the amendment to the interconnection agreement negotiated between BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. and Level 3 Communications, L.L.C. filed on May 4, 2005.¹

Based upon a review of the amendment, the record in this matter, and the standards for review set forth in 47 U.S.C. § 252, the Directors made findings consistent with those in the *Order Approving Interconnection Agreement* issued on September 7, 2004 in Docket No. 04-00059 and unanimously granted the Petition.

IT IS SO ORDERED.



Ron Jones, Chairman



Deborah Taylor Tate, Director



Sara Kyle, Director

¹ The original interconnection agreement was filed and approved in Docket No. 04-00059. Subsequent amendments were filed and approved in Docket Nos. 04-00280 and 04-00340.